



**PATENT** 

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed February 15, 2002, please RECEIVED TO 1700 undertake the following changes:

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Amend claim 1 as follows:

- 1. (Amended) A protective layer transfer sheet comprising:
- a substrate sheet;
- a heat-resistant slip layer provided on one side of the substrate sheet; and

